Information/Action Item

California Postsecondary Education Commission

Legislative Update, July 2003

Staff will provide an oral presentation on the status of bills introduced in the current legislative session that affect California postsecondary education. A matrix of bills that the Commission has closely tracked during the current legislative session is included.

Recommended Action: Commission adoption of the recommended positions on bills on the matrix.

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MATRIX 2003-2004 LEGISLATIVE PRIORITY BILLS											
	Bill Number	Author	Subject	CPEC Position	Policy Committee	Fiscal Committee	Floor Action	Policy Committee	Fiscal Committee	Floor Action	COMMENTS
1.	AB 550	Diaz	Mandatory Systemwide Resident Student Fee Policy	Watch	X	Н					Held on Suspense File in Assembly Appropriations Committee.
2.	AB 655*	Liu	CPEC, CSAC, BPPVE Consolidation	Support	X	X	X	P			Pending in Senate Business and Professions Committee.
3.	AB 680*	Liu	Community College Fees	Watch	X	Н					Held on Suspense File in Assembly Appropriations Committee.
4.	AB 825	Firebaugh	Cal Grant Program - Transfer Students	Support	X	X	X	P			Pending consideration in Senate Education.
5.	AB 843*	Committee on Higher Education	Mandatory Systemwide Resident Student Fee Policy	Support	X	Н					Held on Suspense File in Assembly Appropriations Committee.
6.	AB 1323*	Jackson	Cal Grant Program - Decentralized Campus-Based Approach	Support	X	Н					Held on Suspense File in Assembly Appropriations Committee.
7.	AB 1543	Firebaugh	CCC: Nursing Programs - Admissions	Support	X	Н					Held in Suspense File in Assembly Appropriations Committee.
8.	AB 1783	Committee on Higher Education	Cross-Enrollment	Support	X	X	X	X	P		Pending consideration in Senate Appropriations Committee.
9.	ACA 4	Simitian	Taxation: Educational Entities: Parcel Tax	Support	X	X	P				Pending consideration on Assembly Floor.
10.	SB 6*	Alpert	Public Education Governance (Master Plan)	Watch	X	Н					Held in Suspense File in Senate Appropriations Committee.
11.	SB 76	Denham	California Community College Block Grants	Support	Н						Held in Suspense File in Senate Education Committee.
12.	SB 542*	Murray	CPEC/BPPVE Responsibilies (Master Plan)	Watch	P						Pending consideration in Senate Business and Professions Committee.
13.	SB 680*	McPherson	Cal Grant Program Revisions	Support	X	X	X	X	P		Pending consideration in Assembly Appropriations Committee.
14.	SB 728	Scott	Cal Grant Program - Assumption of Eligibility	Support	X	X	X	X	X	P	Pending consideration on Assembly Floor.
	X-Action Taken H-Held in Committee P-Pending Consideration F-Failed Passage *CPEC Involvement 7/10/03										